Installation of Rice Mills.

*Q.—556. Sri SANJEEVANATHA AIKALA (Surathkal).—

Will the Minister for Food be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of applications they have received from 1-4-1963 to 28-2-1966 for the installation of Rice Mills of (i) above 10 H.P. Capacity and (ii) below 10 or 10 H.P. capacity from the District of South Kanara ;

(*b*) how many of the applications have been rejected and to how many licenses were issued ;

(*c*) when those licenses were issued ?

A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Minister for Food).—

(*a*) *Capacity of the rice Mill Engine*	*No. of applications received*
(i) Above 10 H.P.	122
(ii) Below 10 H. P. or 10 H.P.	31
(*b*) Applications rejected	24
Permits issued	37
Applications pending enquiry	92

(*c*) A statement showing the dates on which permits were issued to the parties is attached.

(SRI B. D. JATTI)

STATEMENT

Showing the applications in respect of which permits were granted during the period from 1st April 1963 to 28th February 1966.

Sl. No.	*Date of application*	*Date of grant of licence*
1	30-4-1963	24-7-1963
2	1-8-1963	12-9-1963
3	15-5-1963	20-10-1963
4	23-7-1963	25-10-1963
5	4-12-1963	31-1-1963
6	8-11-1963	8-2-1964
7	24-1-1964	3-3-1964
8	23-3-1964	1-5-1964
9	6-4-1964	18-5-1964
10	4-5-1964	24-6-1964
11	8-7-1963	24-6-1964
12	20-3-1964	10-7-1964
13	18-12-1963	30-7-1964
14	14-5-1964	13-11-1964
15	4-6-1964	9-7-1965
16	4-3-1964	13-8-1965
17	5-3-1964	9-7-1965
18	19-5-1964	30-1-1965
19	12-6-1964	31-9-1965
20	15-7-1964	7-4-1965
21	2-3-1965	7-4-1965
22	19-6-1964	29-4-1965
23	9-2-1965	4-5-1965
24	16-4-1965	10-6-1965
25	6-4-1965	17-6-1965
26	4-12-1964	10-10-1965
27	28-7-1964	2-11-1965
28	20-5-1964	10-11-1965
29	16-8-1965	10-11-1965
30	29-10-1964	13-12-1965
31	27-4-1965	13-12-1965
32	26-6-1965	20-12-1965
33	20-7-1964	4-9-1965
34	26-3-1964	19-8-1964
35	16-8-1963	10-7-1964
36	28-4-1963	19-8-1964
37	5-3-1964	17-12-1964

Sri SANJEEVANATH AIKALA.—What are the conditions governing the issue of license to the Rice Mills ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—There are 9 conditions :—

(*a*) The number and type of rice mills operating in the locality.
(*b*) The area under paddy cultivation in the locality.
(*c*) The availability of paddy in the locality.
(*d*) The availability of paddy after meeting the existing Rice Mills in the locality.
(*e*) The availability of power and water supply for the Rice Mill.
(*f*) Whether the Rice Mill in respect of which a permit is applied for will be of the Huller Type, Sheller Type or combined Huller-Sheller type.
(*g*) Whether the functioning of the rice mill in respect of which a permit is applied for would cause substantial unemployment in the locality.
(*h*) Whether Hand pounding industry in the locality is well organised and whether the establishment of a new Rice Mill is likely to affect adversely that industry.
(*i*) Whether any Co-operative Society is coming forward to establish a new Rice Mill.

Sri SANJEEVANATH AIKALA.—Out of 153 applications only 31 permits have been issued. What are the reasons for the inordinate delay in issuing the licenses ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—Unless we receive reports from the respective Officers, it is not possible to issue licenses. There is bound to be delay if the reports are not received.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಭಾನ್ಕರಶೆಟ್ಟಿ.—ಕೊಟ್ಟಣದ ಅಕ್ಕಿಯ ಸೊಸೈಟಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಅಕ್ಕಿಯನ್ನು ಮಿಲ್ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಪರವಾನೆಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡಬಾರದು ಎಂದು ತಾವು ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಬರೆದಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ.—ಅಂಥಾ ಕಡೆ ಹೆನರಿಗೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಕೊಟ್ಟಣದ ಅಕ್ಕಿಯನ್ನು ತಯಾರು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದರೆ ನಾವು ಒಪ್ಪುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ನಿಜವಾಗಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಣದ ಅಕ್ಕಿ ತಯಾರು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ, ಜನಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಕ್ಕಿಯನ್ನು ಮಿಲ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ, ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರೆ, ಅದನ್ನು ವಿಚಾರ ಮಾಡಿ, ಅದು ನಿಜ ಎಂದು ಗೊತ್ತಾದ ಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಅದನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Sri SANJEEVANATH AIKALA.—Are there instances where permits were given in places where hand pounding industry is existing ? Have you given permits to Rice Mills in such places ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It depends upon the report of the Deputy Commissioner. If he is satisfied that the workers of the hand pounding industry are not displaced, the license will have to be issued.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ನಂಜೇಗೌಡ.—ಇಂಥಾ ಆಹಾರದ ಅಭಾವ ಇರುವ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಲ್ಲರ್ ಮಿಲ್ಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಬತ್ತವನ್ನು ಮಿಲ್ ಮಾಡಿದರೆ ಒಂದು ಕ್ವಿಂಟಾಲಿಗೆ 6-8 ಕೆ.ಜಿ. ಅಕ್ಕಿ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಬರುತ್ತದೆ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಆಹಾರದ ಅಭಾವ ಇರುವವರೆಗೆ ಹಲ್ಲರ್ ಮಿಲ್‌ಗಳಿಗೆ ಲೈಸೆನ್ಸ್ ಕೊಡದ ಹಾಗೆ ಆಜ್ಞೆಯನ್ನು ಹೊರಡಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It is a suggestion for action. The Government will consider that.